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SUBJECT: TRADE FACILITATION COMMITTEE: STRENGTHENED
AUTHORITY OF MITI

1. E/CMIN HAS BEEN PRESSING MITI IN RECENT WEEKS TO
GIVE US CLEAR EXPLANATION OF HOW GOJ INTERPRETED TERMS
OF STRAUSS-USHIBA JOINT STATEMENT AND TERMS OF
REFERENCE OF TRADE FACILITATION COMMITTEE (TFC) AS
REGARDS TFC'S ABILITY TO RESOLVE CASES ARISING OUTSIDE
JURISDICTION OF MITI.

2. HANAOKA, JAPANESE CO-CHAIRMAN OF TFC TOKYO GROUP,
INFORMED E/CMIN MARCH 14 THAT INTERIM MINISTERIAL
MEETING HAD DECIDED THAT TFC, THROUGH RECOGNITION
ACCORDED IT IN JANUARY 13 JOINT STATEMENT, WAS TO BE
REGARDED AS SPEAKING FOR GOJ. HANAOKA IS HOPEFUL THAT
THIS WILL LEAD TO SPEEDIER AND MORE SATISFACTORY
RESOLUTION OF TFC COMPLAINT CASES. SHERMAN

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